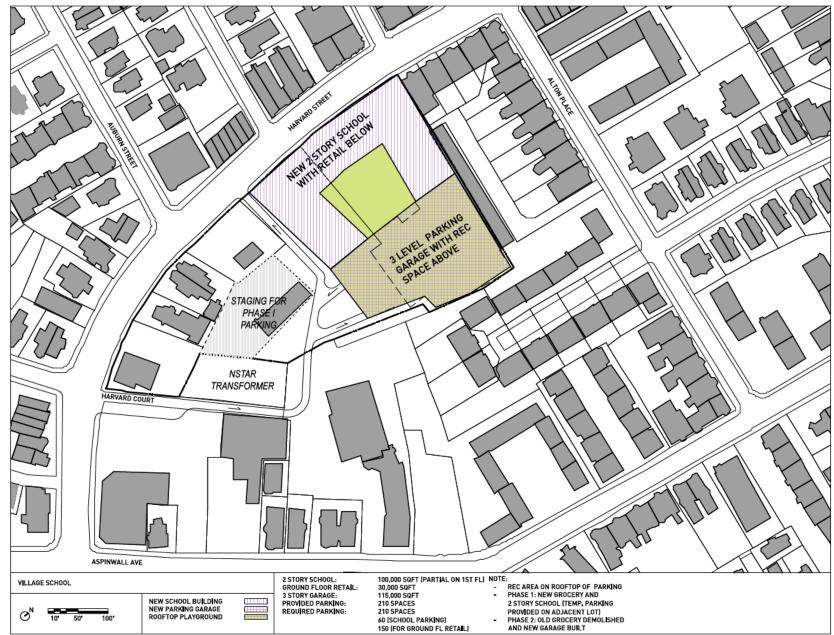
# SITE C: VILLAGE SCHOOL

This school site alternative proposes a mixed use development in Brookline Village at the Stop&Shop location. This potential school site includes the existing Stop&Shop parcels and incorporates the grocery storefront facing Harvard Street with a new school above, with both uses served by a shared parking structure to the rear of the site. The school is sited along Harvard Street and its construction offers an opportunity to enhance the street edge. This school exceeds the height limit and FAR as per zoning.

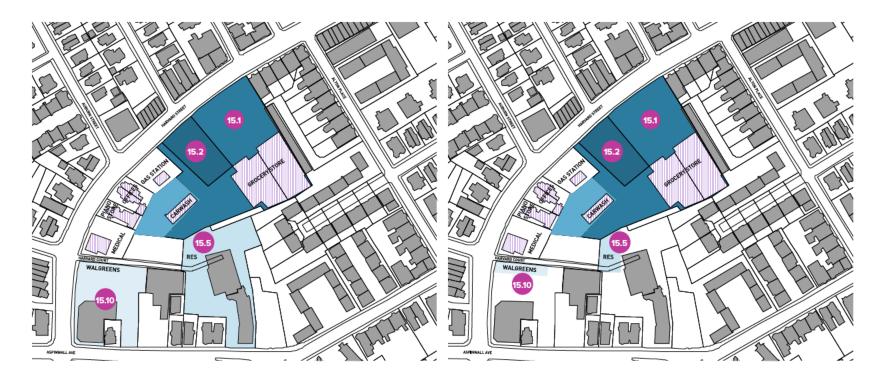




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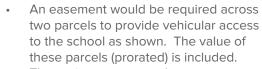
Site Number	Owner	Address	Size of parcel/existing building	Existing use	Assessed value
15.1	Sachs H Sons, Inc.	155 Harvard Street		Stop&Shop	\$8,469,600
15.2	Coakley, Mary	149 Harvard Street	19,984.00	Parking Lot	\$1,596,800
15.5	various owners	2-14 St. Paul Street (rear yard)	11,633.00	13 parking spaces	
15.10	Sullivan, Eugene	99 Harvard Street	43,119.00	Walgreens (pkg)	\$5,544,400

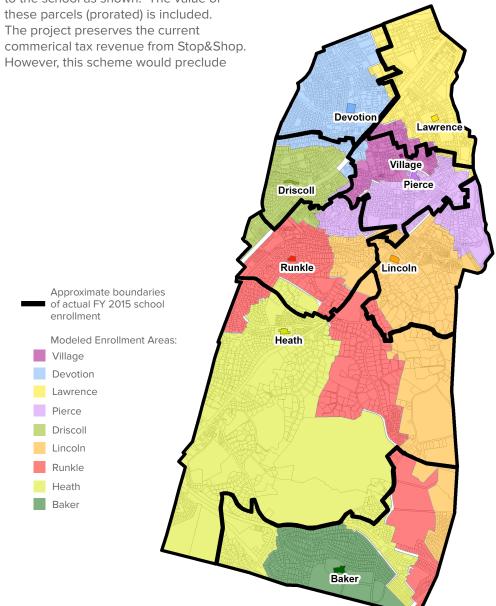
## **Student-School Assignment GIS Model**

The addition of the Village School would most likely not change the overall percentage of K-8 students within 1/4 mile of a school, compared to existing conditions. This is not surprising, as this location is itself within walking distance of both the Pierce and Lawrence Schools. Similar to other scenarios, some households living south of Route 9 but more than 1/4 mile from Lincoln School are likely to be assigned to Pierce or Lawrence as a result of the addition of this school. Similar to other scenarios, some children living in the southeast corner of Brookline are modeled here as likely attending Heath, Runkle, or Lincoln. As discussed in Section One, prior to any changes to School Districts, Buffers, or assignments, the School Committee and the PSB would first go through a public process as they have prior to previous district changes.

## **Site Specific Assumptions:**

- The Village School will require a development partner for the Town.
- MSBA has to date not cost participated with any mixed-use school buildings.
  Further discussions with MSBA would be needed to better understand how this development scenario might work within the state's funding guidelines.
- Collaboration and the partnership with Stop&Shop;
- A shared Common Area Maintenance Agreement and an ownership/ management agreement for the parking garage;
- An allowance of to cover inconvenience of adjacent businesses, relocation cost for any impacted businesses, negotiations and staging with Stop&Shop;





Village School Student-School Assignment Model



future commerical redevelopment of this entire site, if these uses and appropriate zoning changes were to be accepted by Town Meeting, the neighborhood, and the property owner. In a commercial redevelopment scenario, it is possible that commercial taxes could increase by \$350,000 to \$525,000 annually<sup>4</sup> compared to present annual revenue of \$175,054 (for 2015).

#### Phasing of Construction:

The Village School development project relies on successful negotiations with the Stop&Shop business and adjacent property owners, and requires careful phasing in the likely event that the Stop&Shop is not willing to close during construction of a new store. Phasing of construction would include:

Phase I -- Construction of the new grocery store and school in a new three-story structure fronting directly on Harvard Street (in front of the existing Stop&Shop store). See below for proposed area for temporary parking for Stop&Shop during this phase\*;

Phase 2 – Demolition of existing Stop&Shop and construction of a parking garage to accommodate the new Stop&Shop and School uses:

Phase3 - Opening of School (Stop&Shop to remain open throughout construction).

\*Proposed Temporary Parking Solution During the first phase of construction of the mixed use building, a ground lease of the adjacent Scrub a Dub car wash property and construction of at-grade parking could be built to accommodate Stop&Shop customers during the first phase of construction of

school and retail in the existing Stop&Shop parking area. The cost of this land, the temporary parking and the potential rebuild of the car wash is included in the analysis.

A partnership between the Town and a private developer is recommended given the complexity of this alternative, with a third party agreement with Stop&Shop and any land owners who wanted to remain in the deal. In this partnership:

### Town of Brookline Role/Responsibilities:

Potential financing and funding support as incentives to Stop&Shop and other affected businesses;

- Town-owned land;
- Cost of school build (all hard and soft costs);
- Program manager to coordinate design, permitting, and contracting through occupancy;

- Development or program management fee:
- Clerk of the Works to monitor design/ construction progress;
- Negotiations for land acquisition and financial agreements;
- Management of the public process;
- Guidelines for specifications and budget expectations.

## Stop&Shop (or others) would agree to:

- Fund the building of the new grocery store and the portion of the parking garage allocated for retail use;
- Lease or potentially acquire that portion of the building to be occupied by the grocery store and the portion of the parking garage allocated for their use;
- Support the phasing process and work through the interim phasing issues on site.

#### The developer would:

 Negotiate with the owners of the existing land and building to acquire the site or enter into a joint venture for its redevelopment;

Stop and Shop/ D	Developer Contri	ibution		
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		Land Costs (allocated to the S&S)		
prorated		Temporary Parking Lot for S&S		
prorated	Financial	Rebuild of Car Wash		
	Financial information	Grocery Store		
	redacted in 10/19/15 public	Tenant improvements		
		For S&S portion of Parking Garage		
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	<u> </u>	retail percentage of over	rall project (inc pkg)	

<sup>4</sup> Commercial site redevelopment could yield two to three times additional commercial tax revenue on this site according to Kara Brewton, Town of Brookline Economic Development Director.

- Cost to rebuild temporary parking lot (only included here as an allowance)\*;
- If acquired, finance, develop and own the new grocery store portion of the building upon completion, depending on Stop&Shop's interest in leasing vs. ownership;
- Manage the design, permitting and construction process to completion;
- Should a new grocery store tenant be needed, the developer will seek and manage this process;
- This scenario includes costs related to the developer and Stop&Shop involvement in the overall development process. We have provided a summary of the costs that are assumed to be borne by the developer as part of the process.

## Negotiations include:

- Timing and staging of construction to manage the existing residential and business' traffic patterns during construction;
- Negotiations for temporary parking for Stop&Shop customers during construction (see information on parking to in this section)\*;
- Negotiations with the Stop&Shop to:
  - agree on access throughout construction and upon completion;
  - ownership structure and management agreement for jointly operated parking garage;
  - determine ownership structure for joint development and operation of new mixed-use building and parking garage;
  - determine reasonable drop off and pick up for students to maintain retail.

